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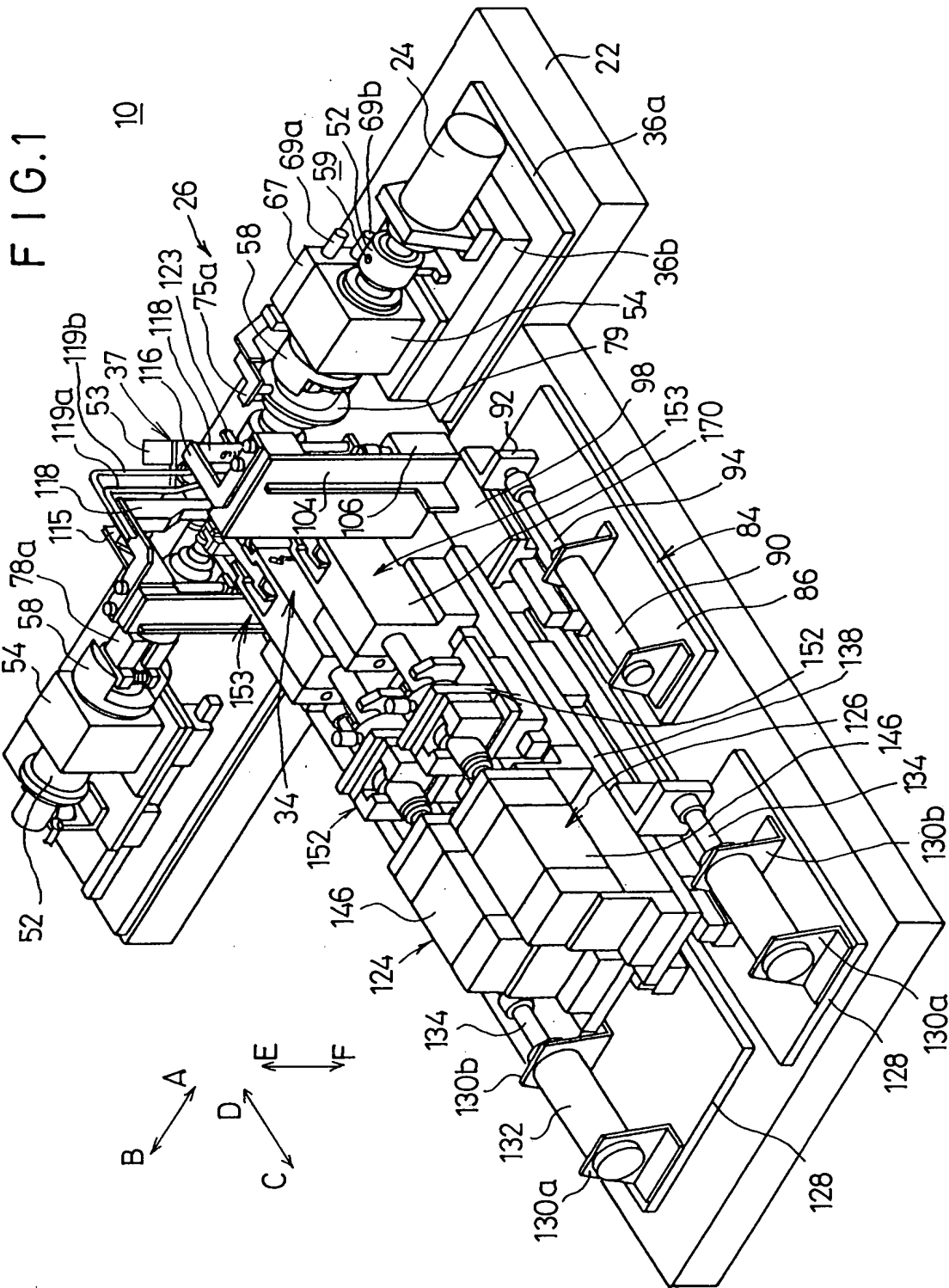
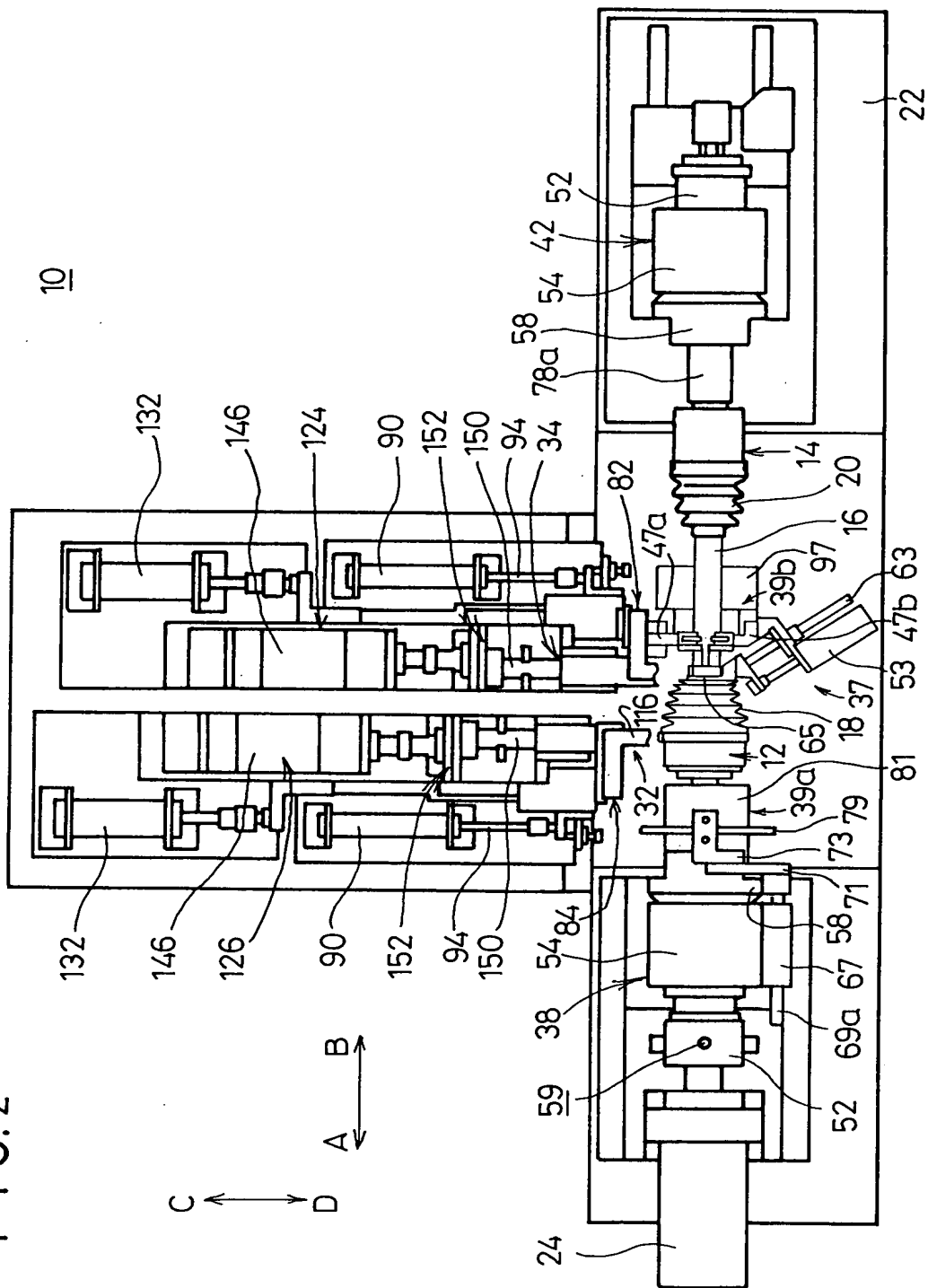
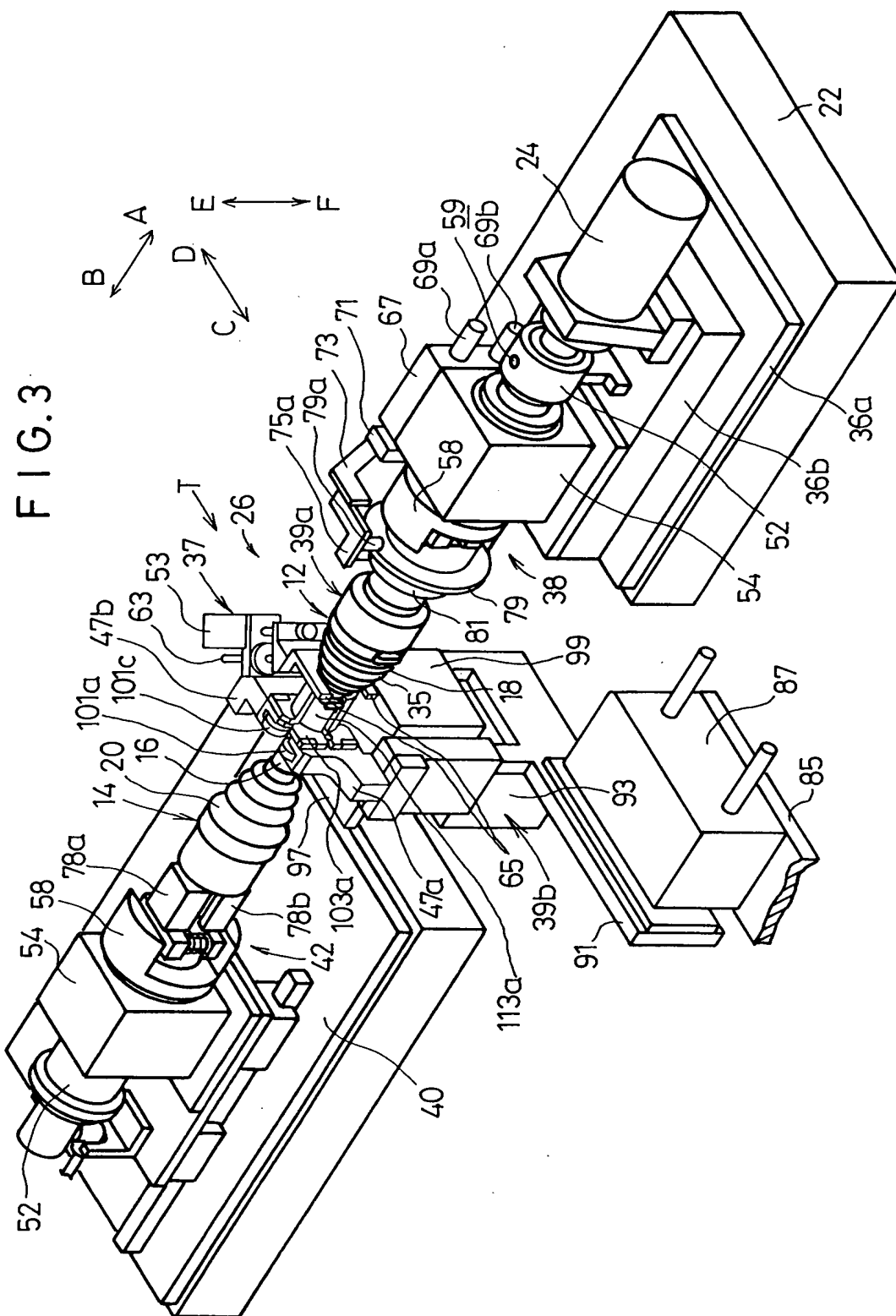
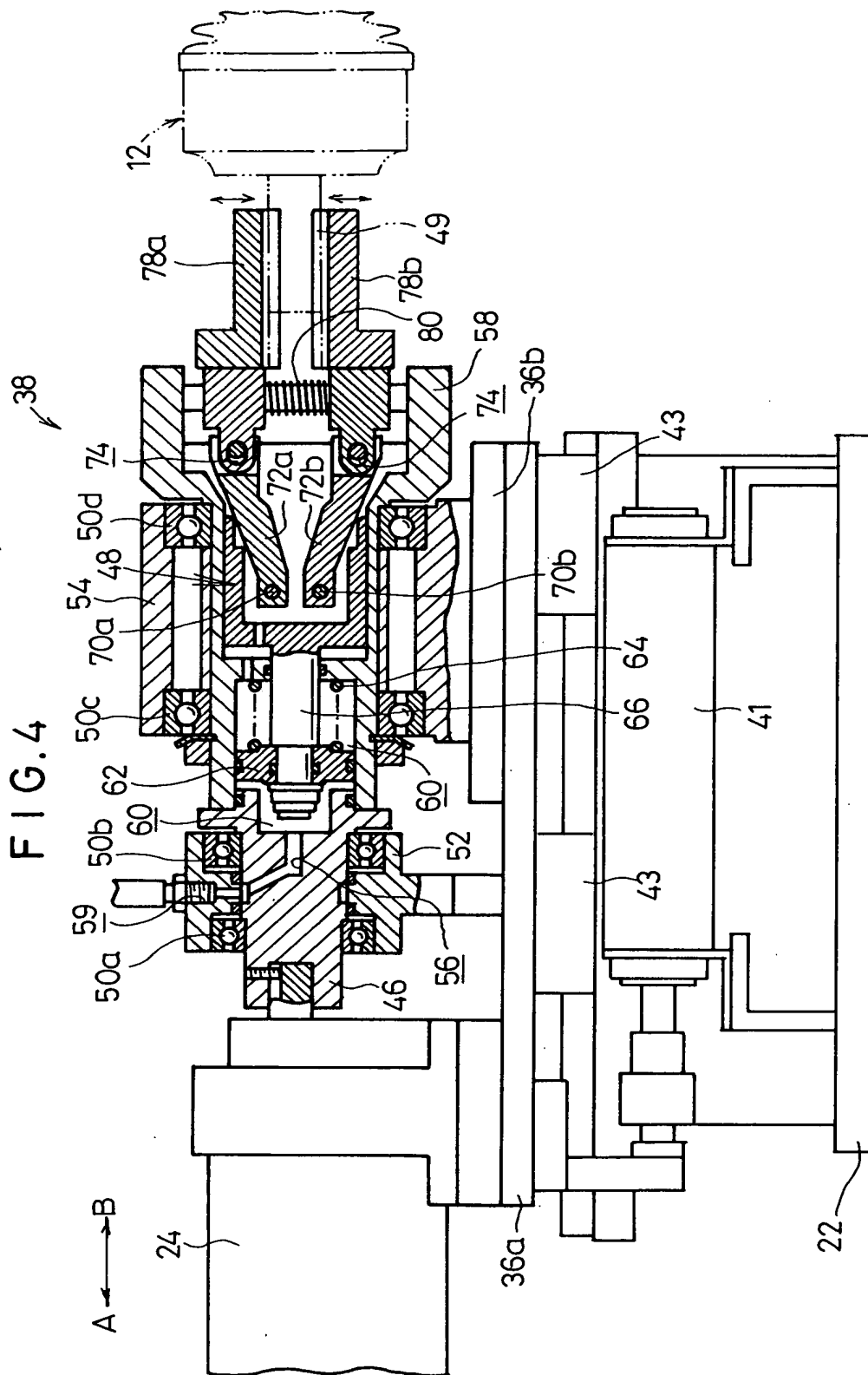


FIG. 2







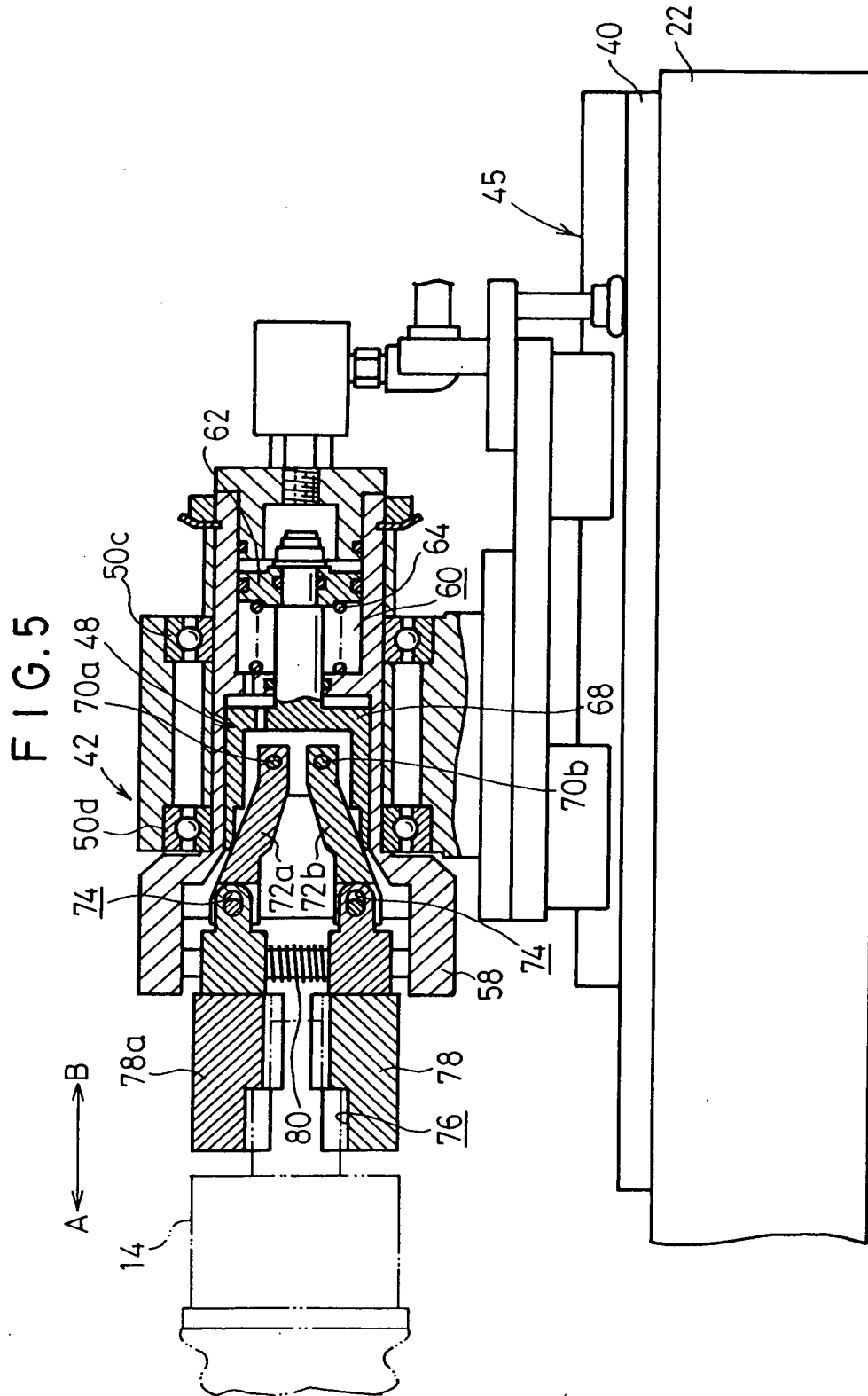
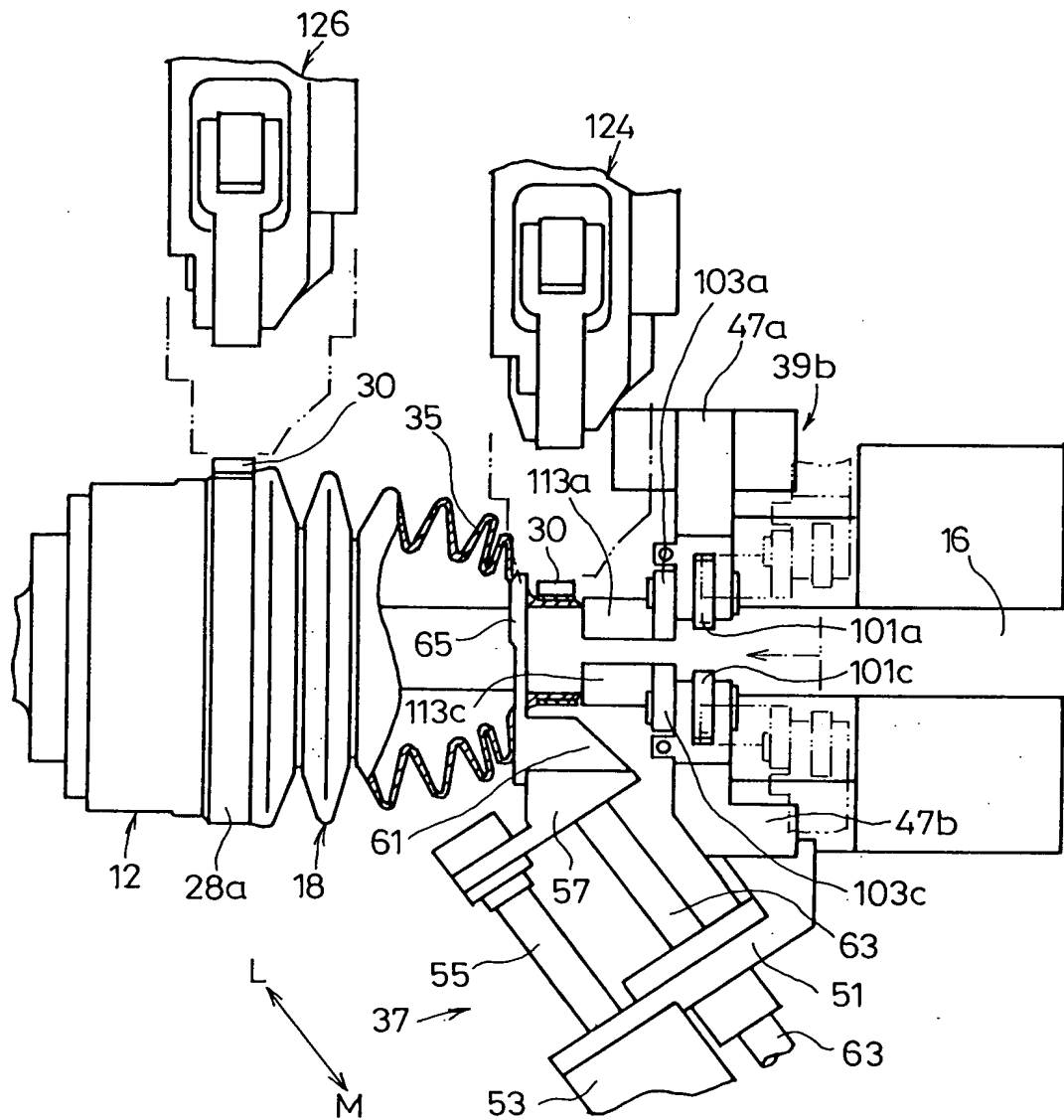


FIG. 6



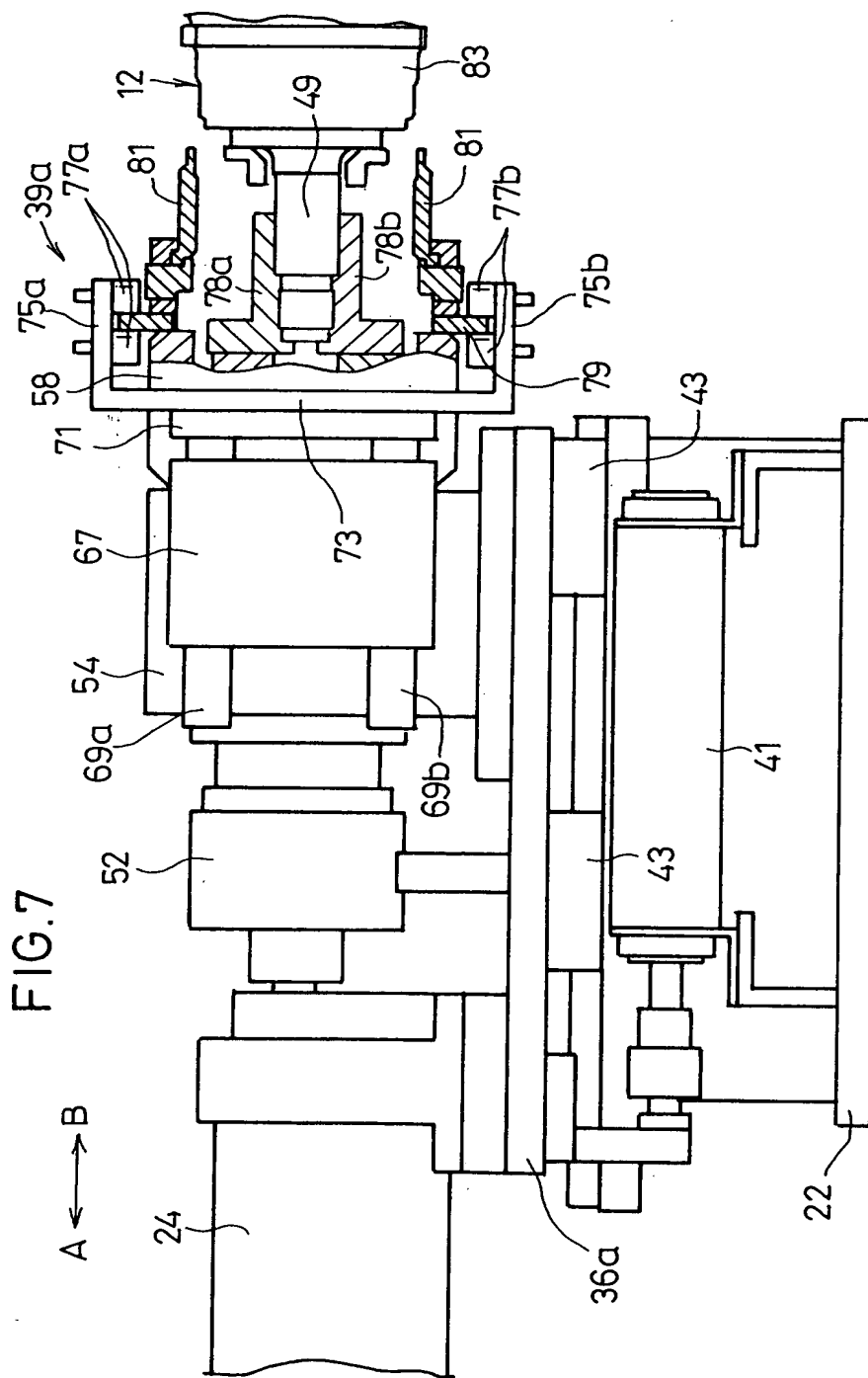
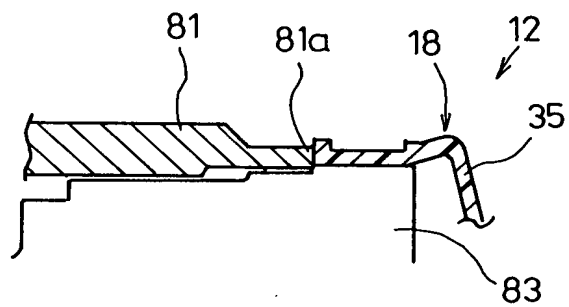


FIG.8



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FIG.10

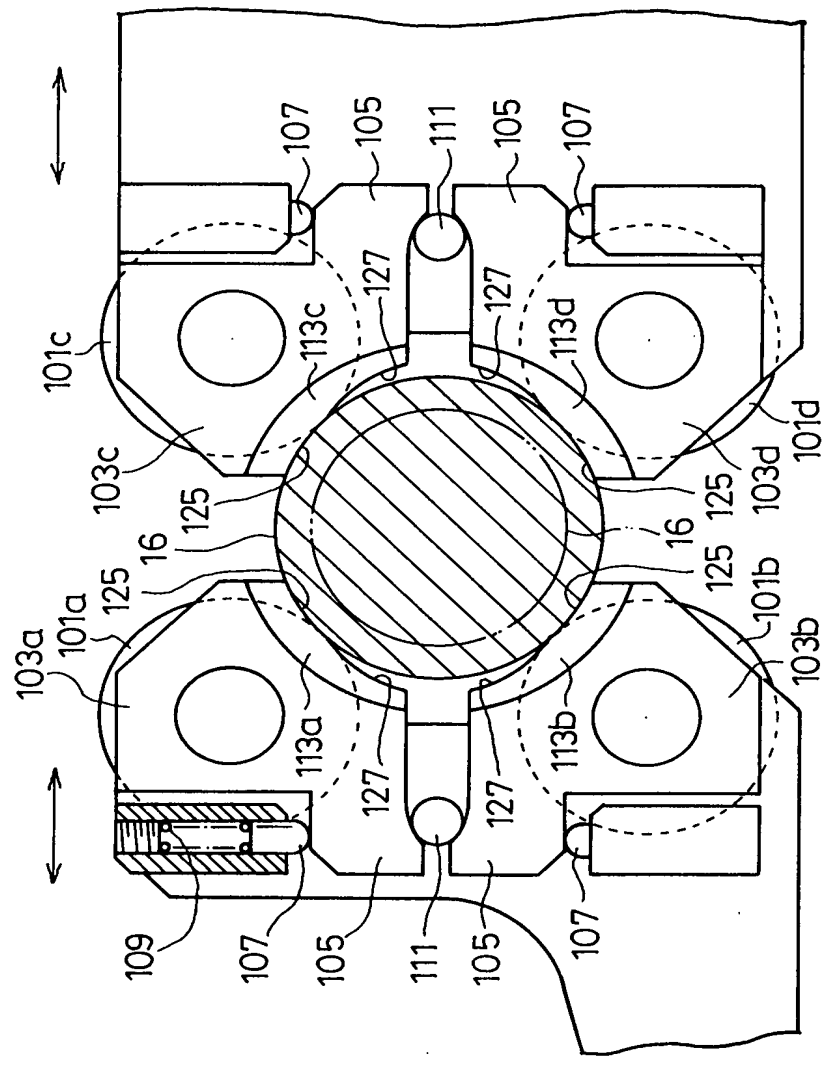




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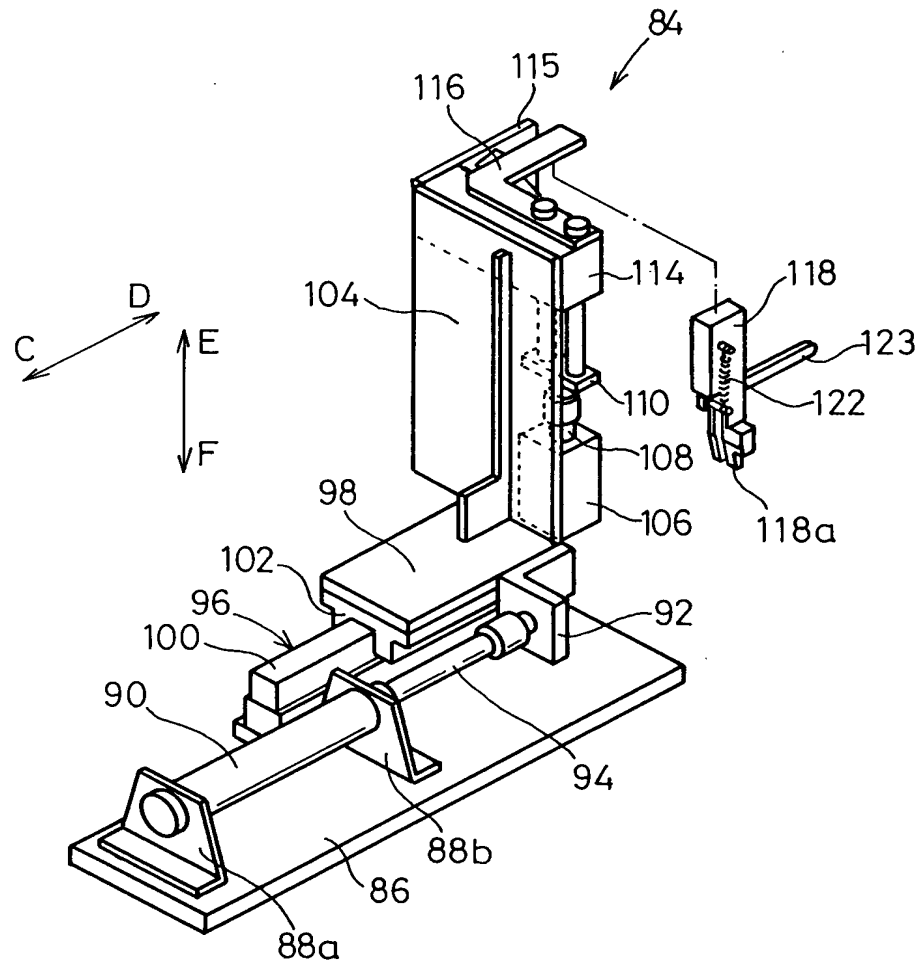
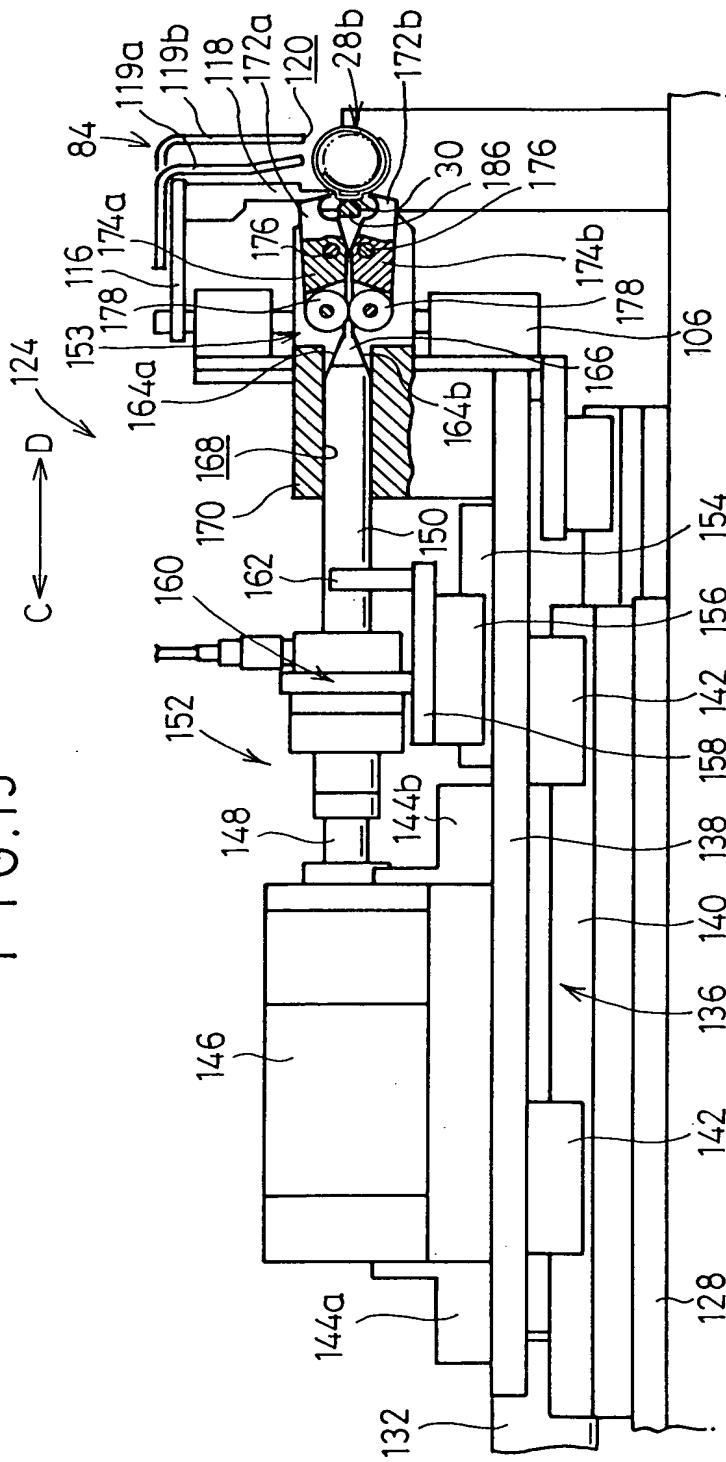




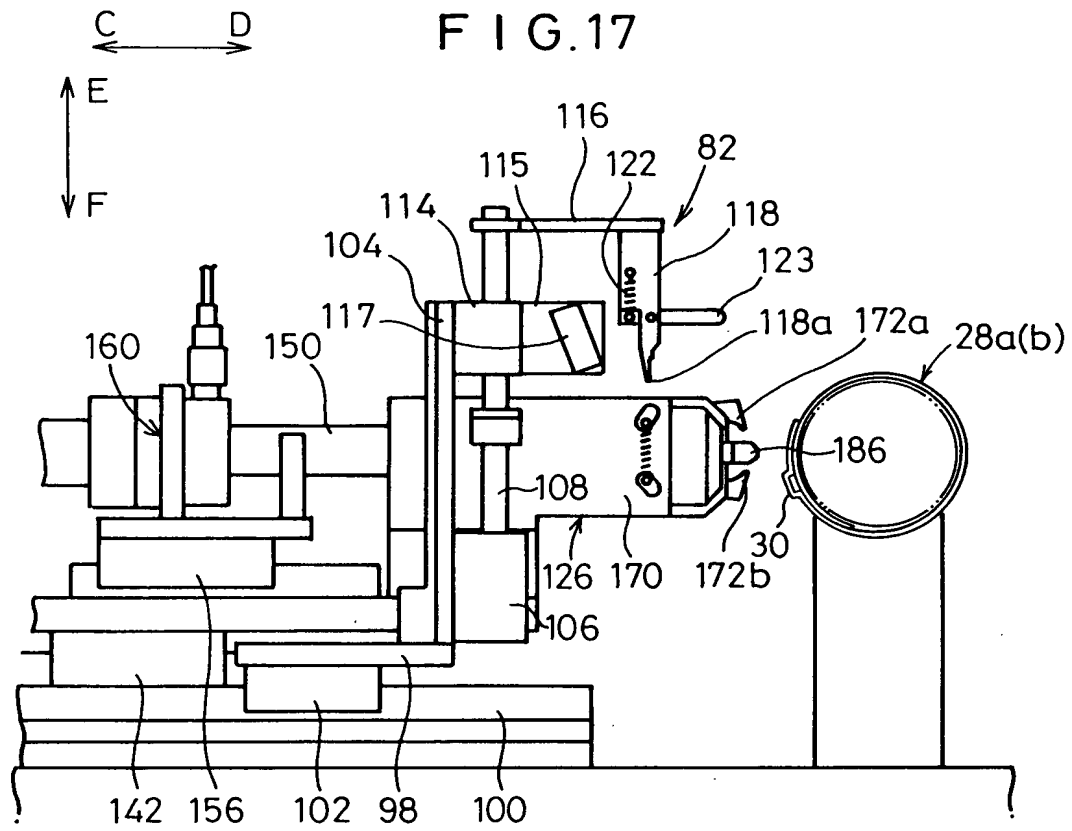


FIG.15









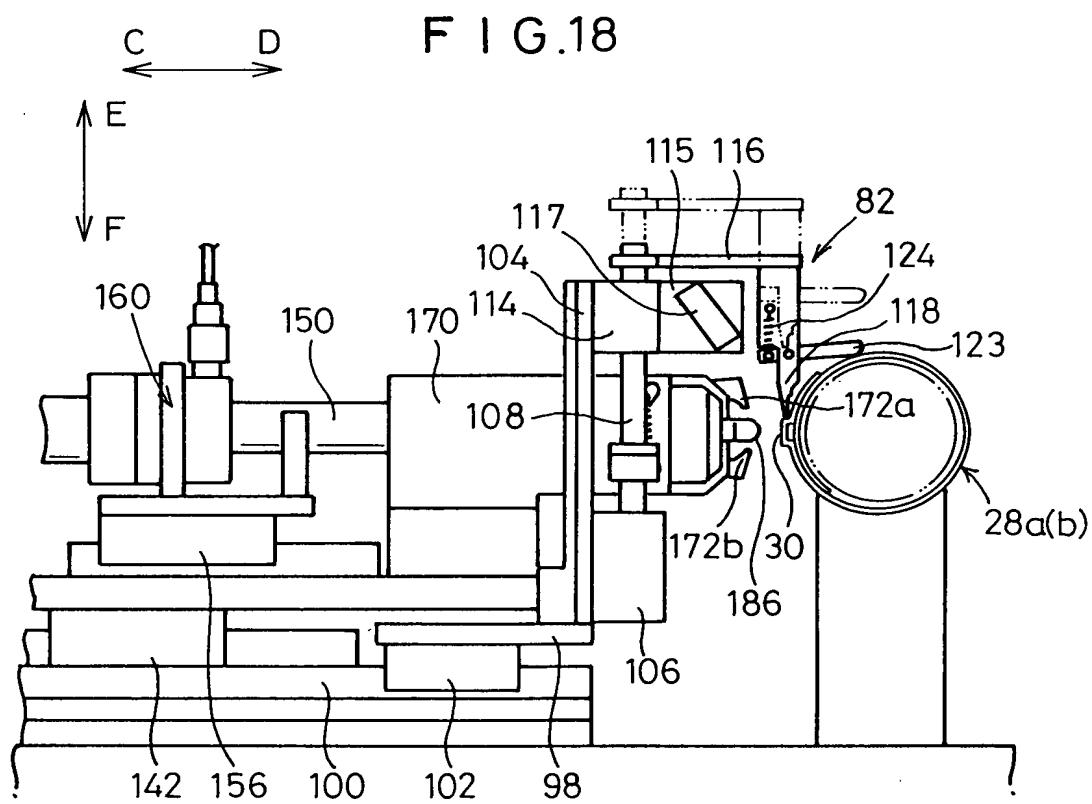
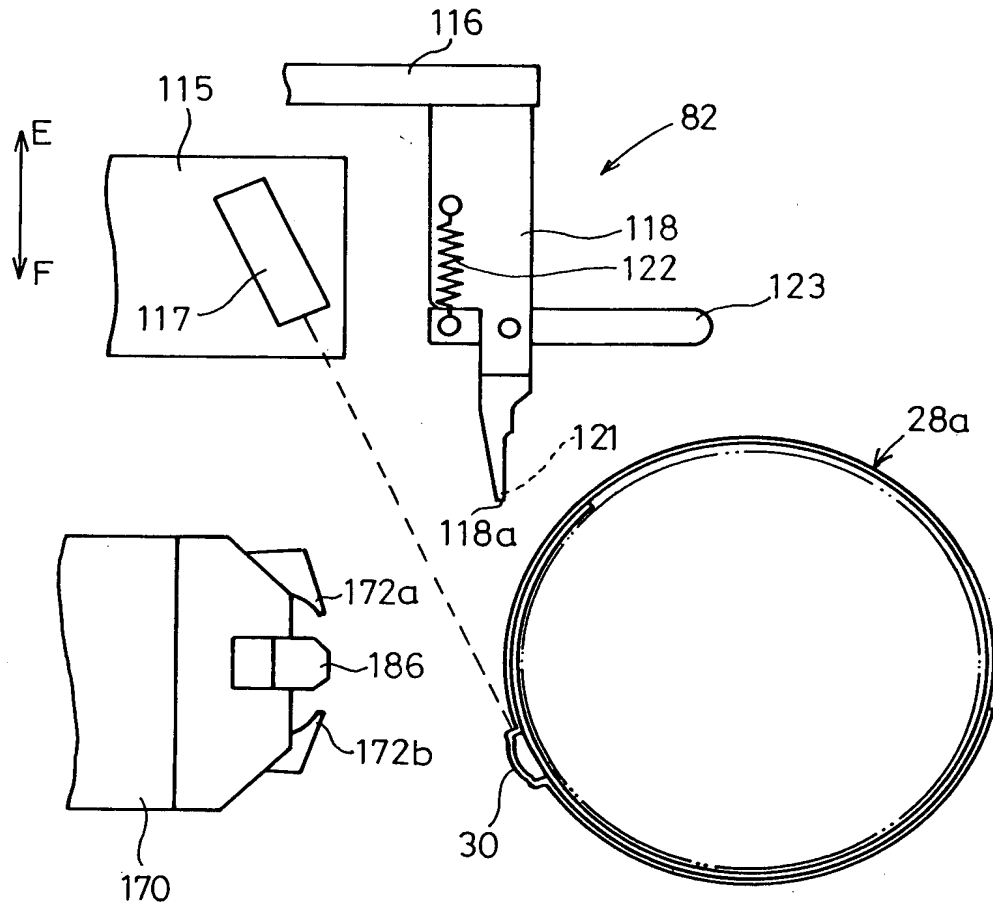
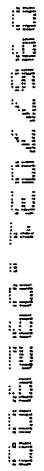


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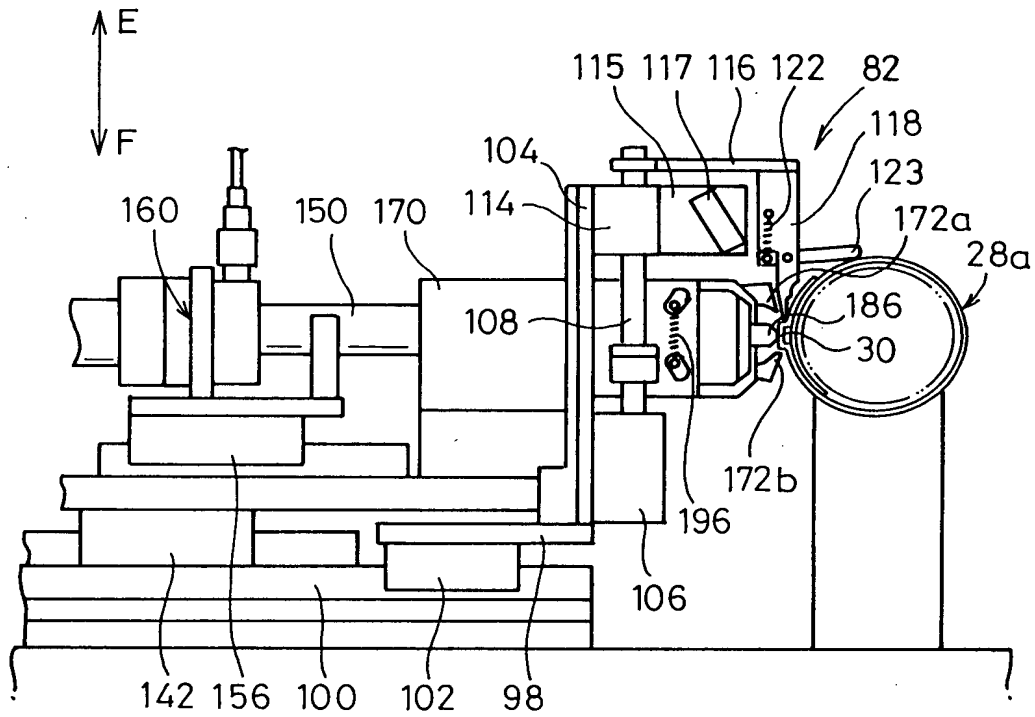




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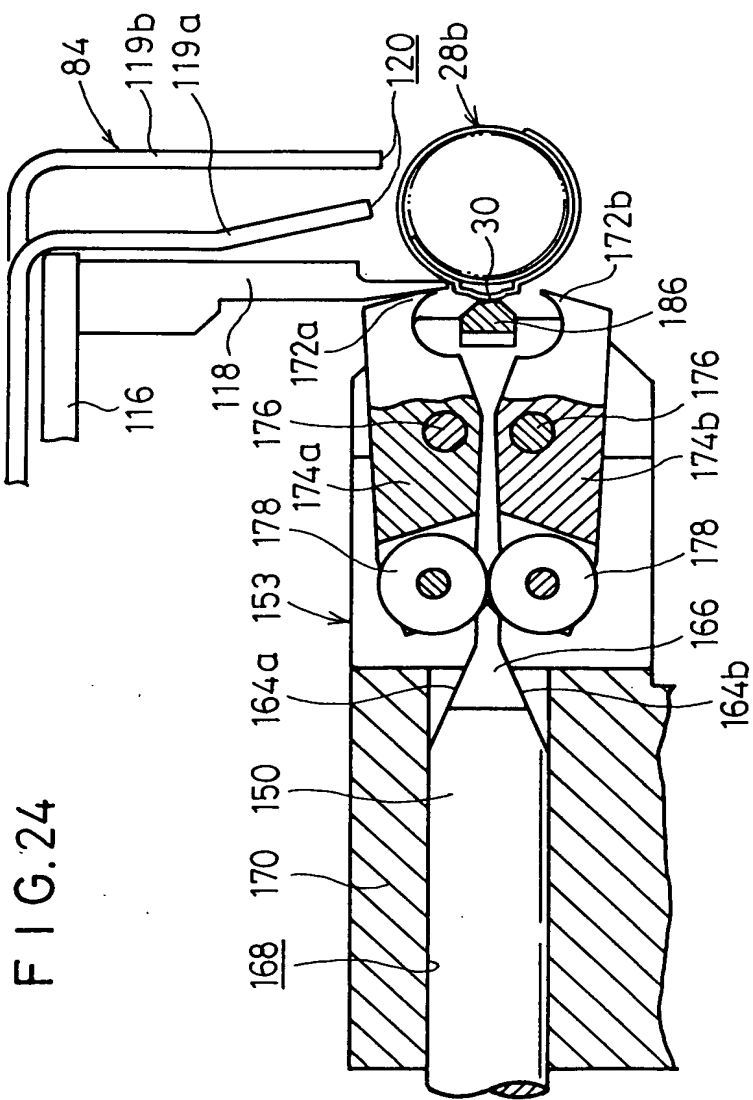




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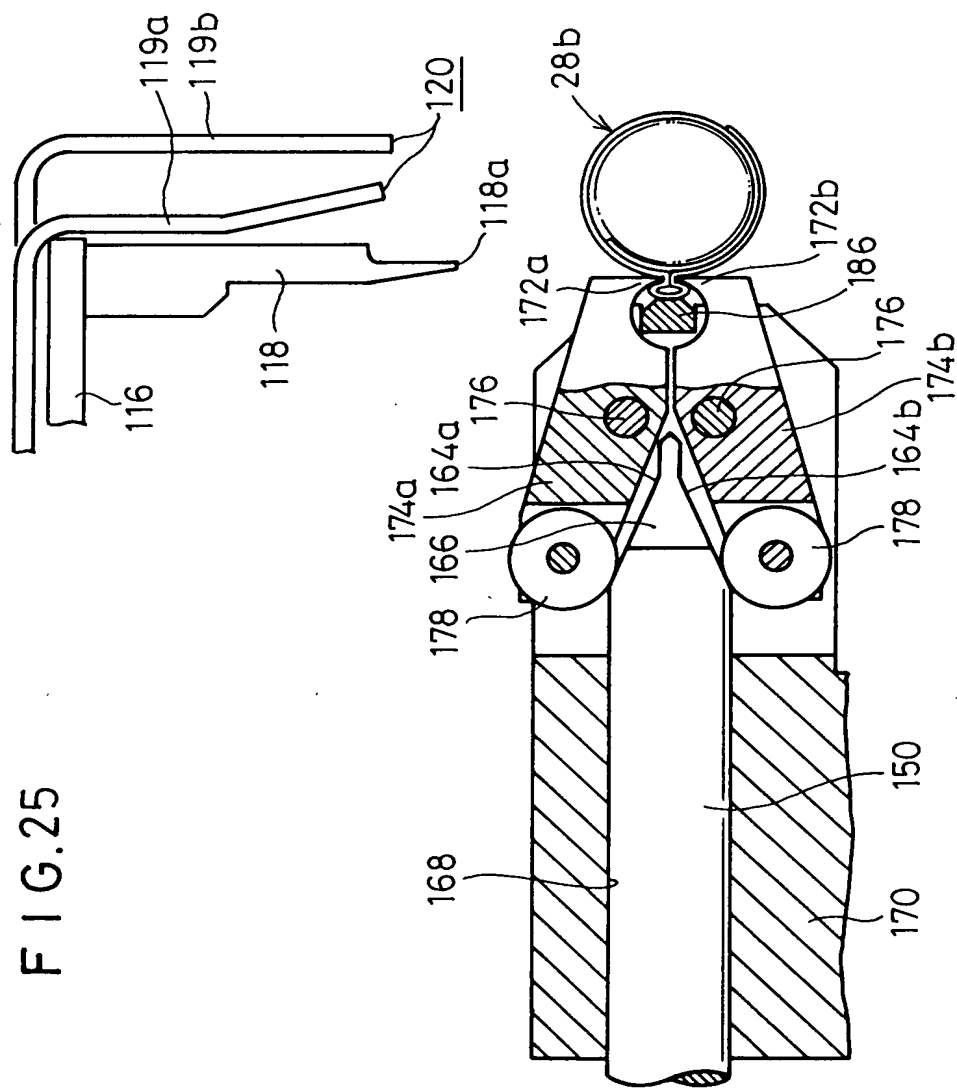


FIG. 26

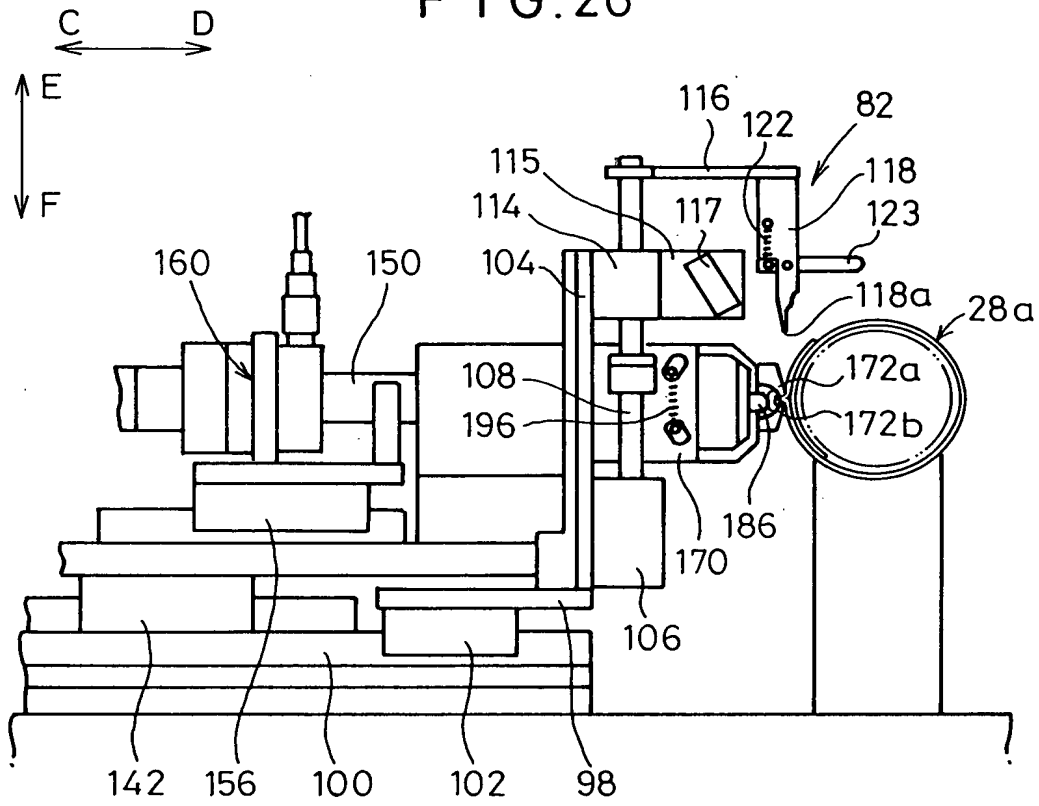


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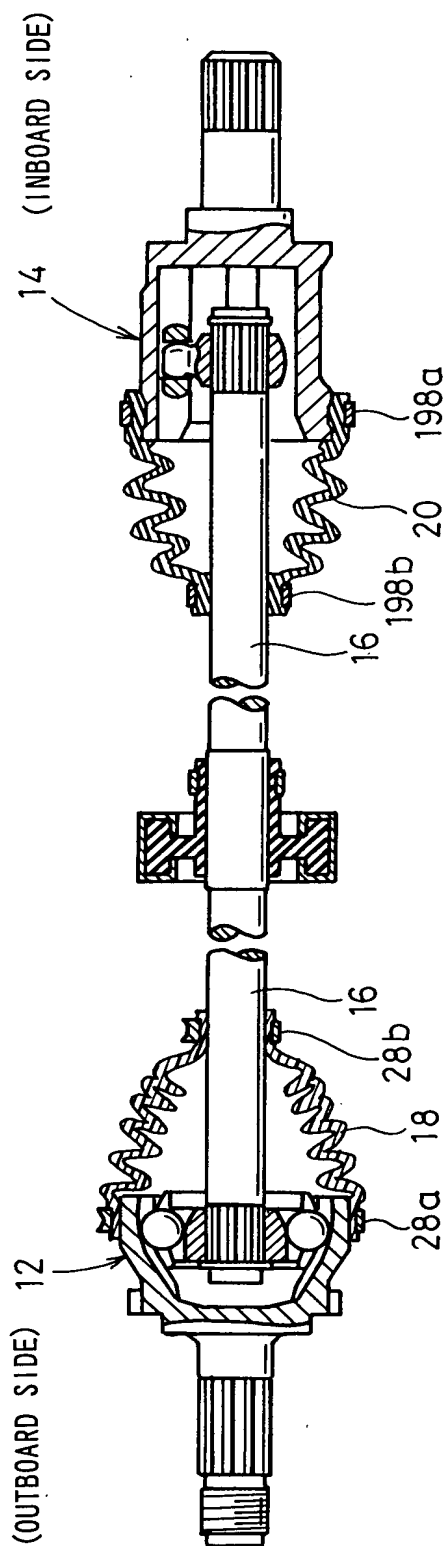
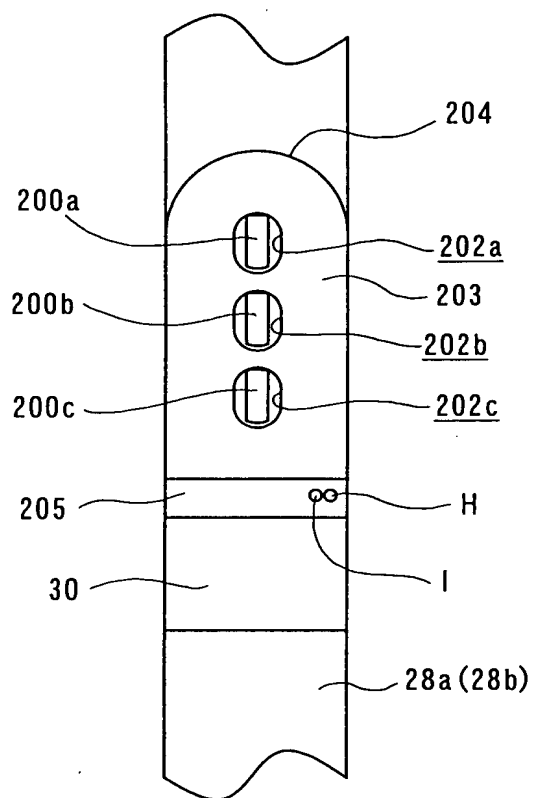


FIG. 28





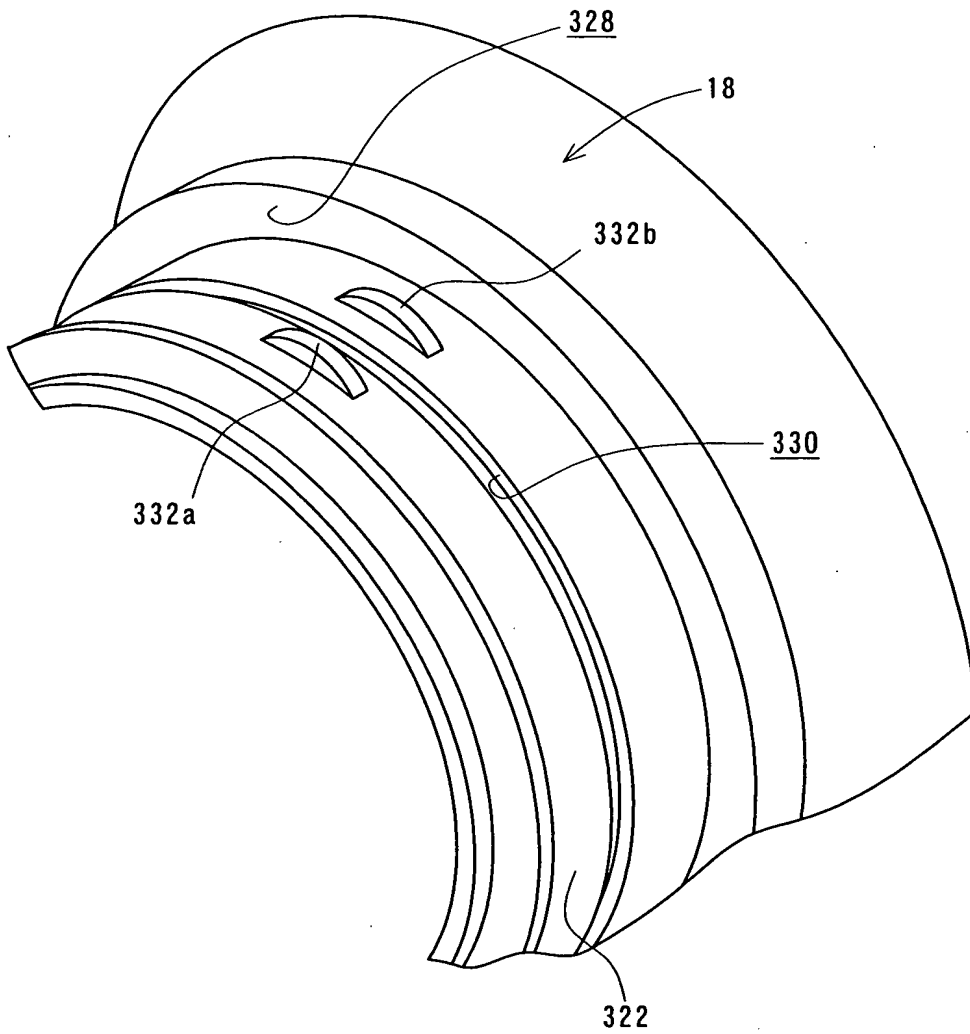
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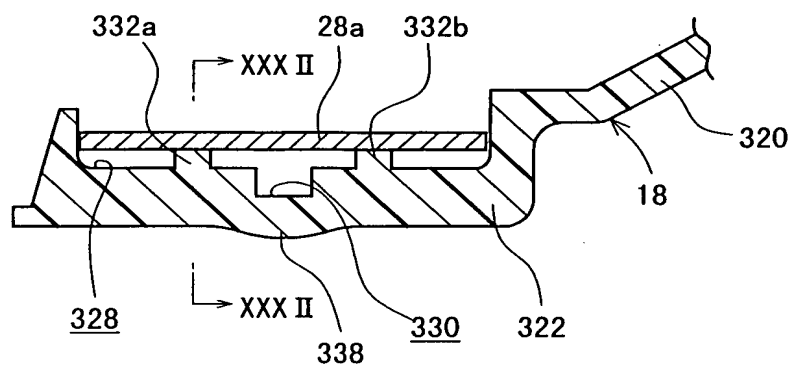


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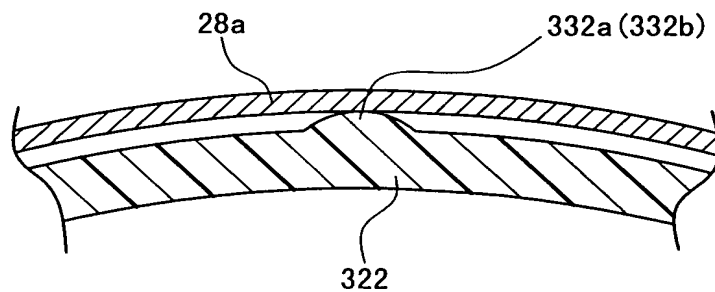


FIG. 10 is a cross-sectional view of a device. It shows a base structure with a central opening. A component 18 is shown bending over the opening. Labels include 333a, 28a, 333b, 322, 330, 338, 328, and 320.



FIG. 34

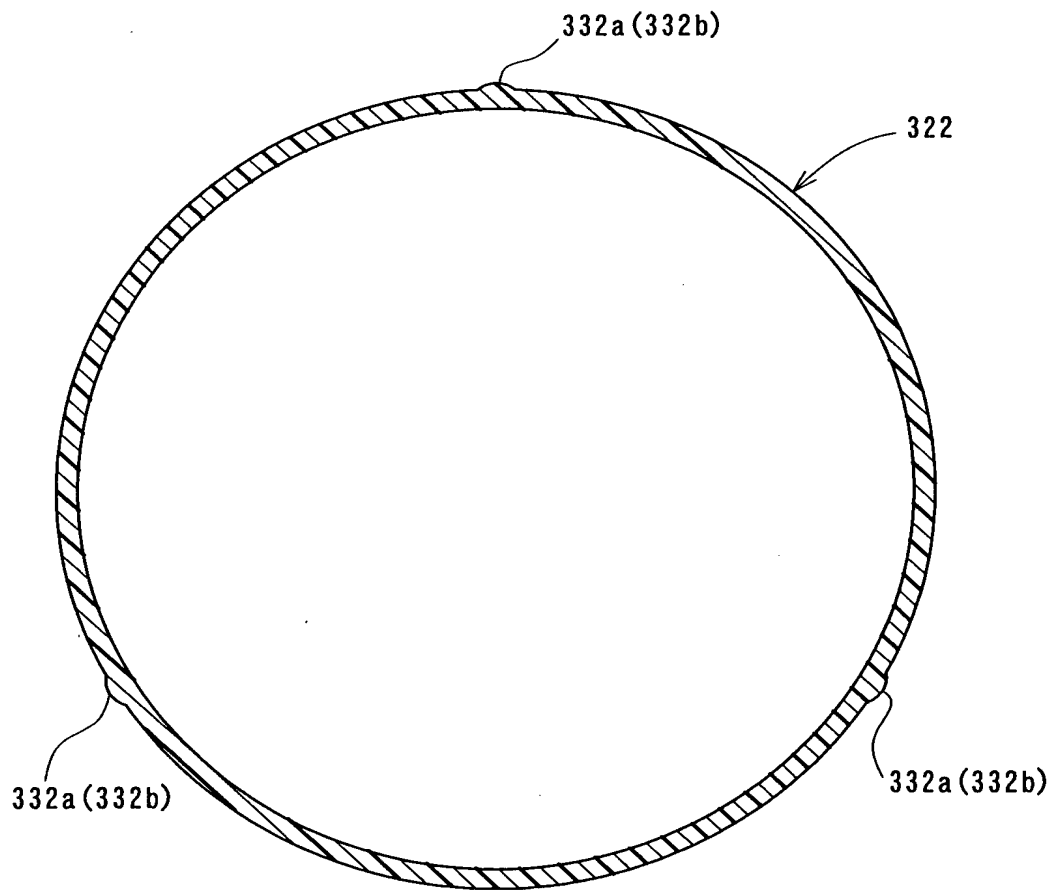


FIG. 36

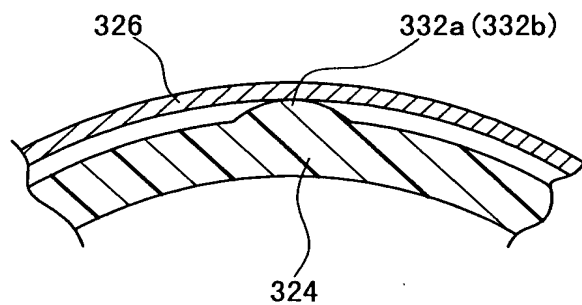
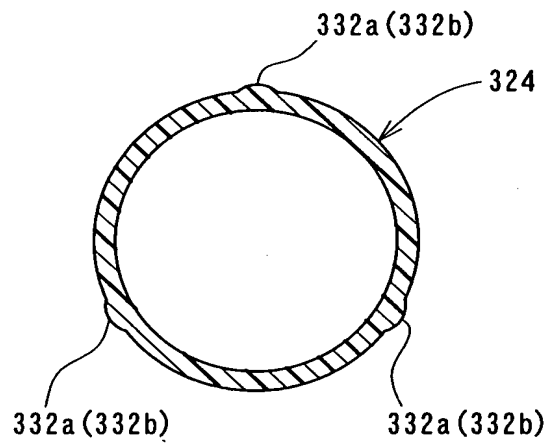


FIG. 37



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FIG. 38

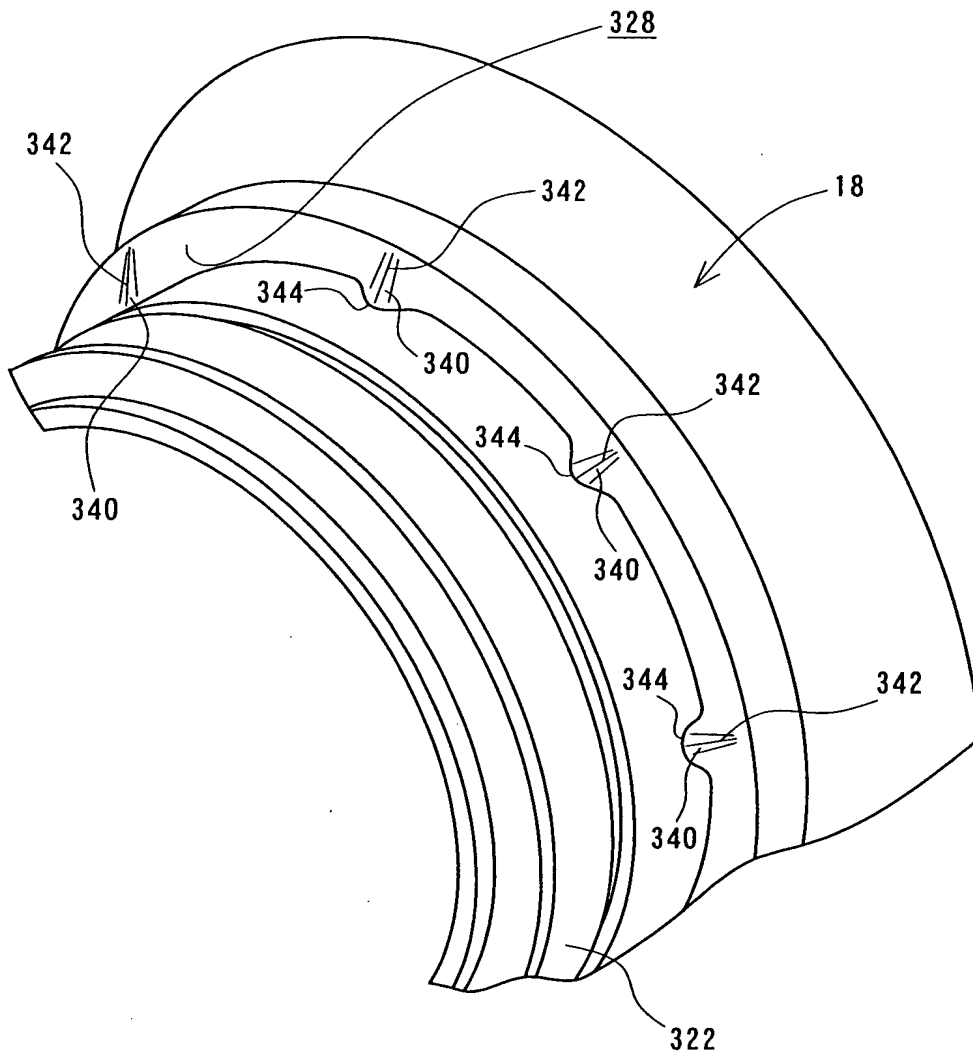


FIG. 39

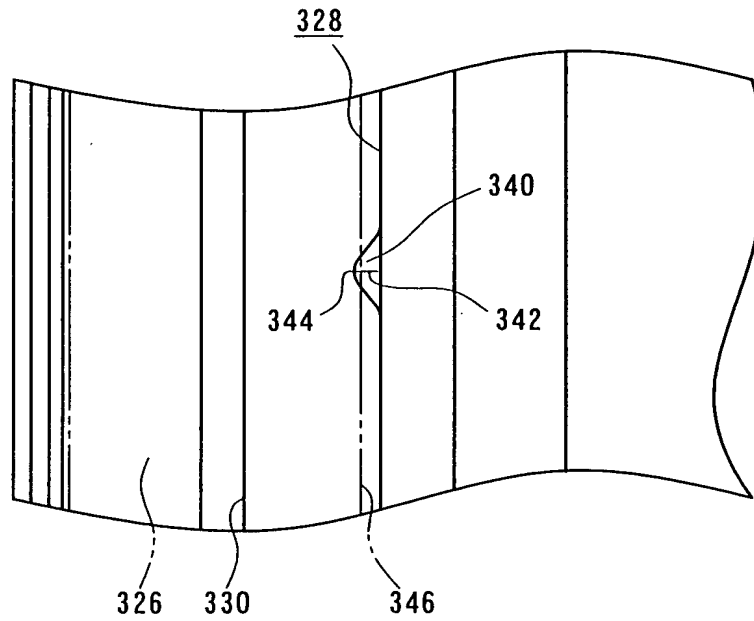
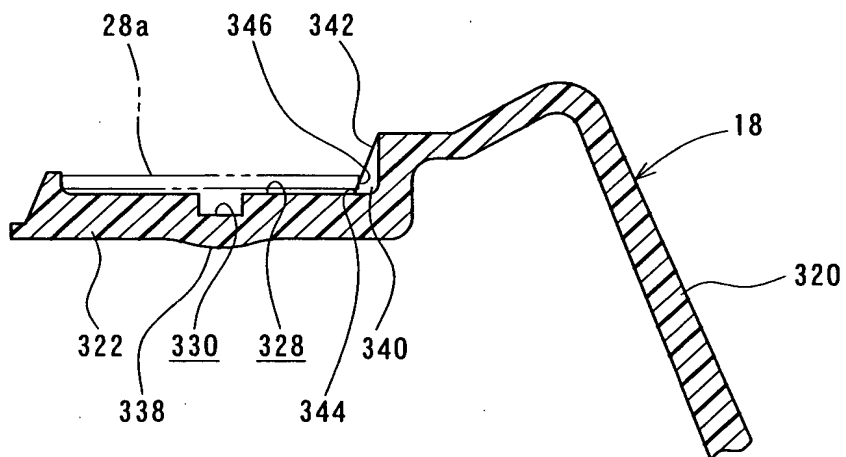


FIG. 40



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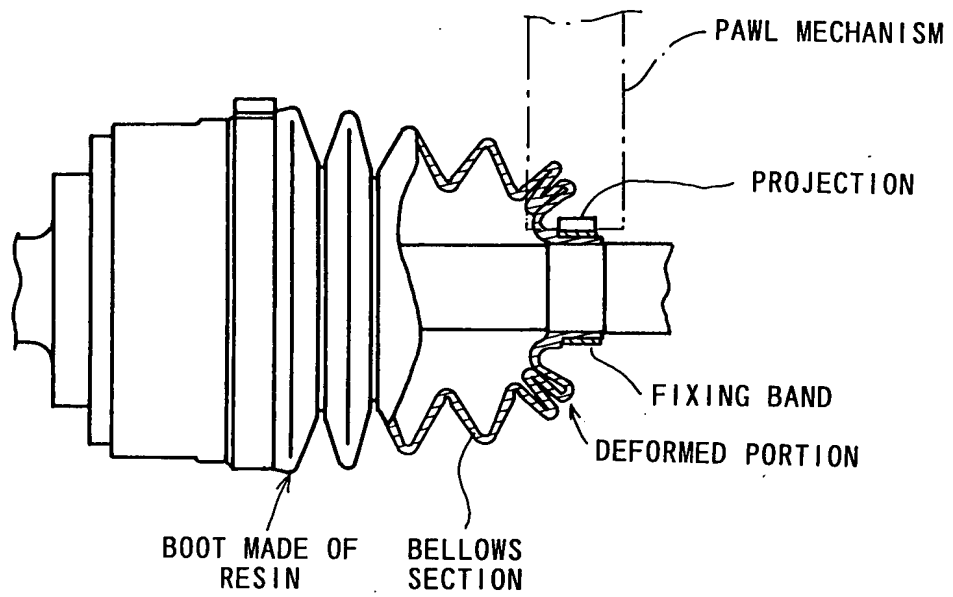
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FIG. 43



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